

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
XIAO and GEDRICH) Prior Group Art Unit: 1652
Serial No.: To Be Assigned) Prior Examiner: D. Ramirez
Filed: March 23, 2004) Atty. Dkt. No. 002973.00055
For: REGULATION OF HUMAN TRANSMEMBRANE SERINE PROTEASE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please make the following amendments before examining the application referenced above.